

S. W. L. SOON RESUME TRADE WITH RUSSIANS

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WASHINGTON, April 6.—Trade relations between the United States and a people of Russia, whether the latter are under the jurisdiction of the soviet or any other faction, will shortly be resumed.

The United States government has been waiting an answer from the allies to the course the other nations could pursue, but the suggestions and under suggestions have thus far yielded nothing. It is the intention of our government if an answer is not forthcoming very soon, to advise American citizens to go abroad, respectively of the action of the other powers.

American would be able to trade in Russia at his own risk. This means that diplomatic protection in the event of losses or disagreements will not be afforded at present, though later, when a government in Russia is recognized, the department of commerce would insist upon the assumption of responsibility by any government of the transactions or claims pending against its predecessor.

The United States looks upon the action of commerce with Russia with the same eyes. There is no embargo against the Russian people or against the individuals who may be principals in the soviet regime. To American citizens all Russians will be the same.

Goods can be bought or sold and transported to and from Russia, but arrangements must be made without the aid of physical assistance of the United States government.

Attitude on Recognition.
With respect to recognition of the soviet, there are yet no signs of any change of policy, and it is extremely unlikely that this presidential election will open to attack an sympathetic attitude toward the soviet government.

On the other hand, should the allies decide upon such a policy, the United States would not and should not join in the policy of the associated powers.

Information here would seem to indicate that, under no circumstances, will the allies agree to any recognition of the soviet unless there is a decision, unqualified, of any policy of international recognition or propaganda looking toward that end.

While officials are inclined to look on the matter of the soviet regime as a form of government set up by the soviet, they are firmly set against the continuance of any external activity or missionary work for soviet ends.

The action for deportation of Ludwig, the self-styled "ambassador" of the soviet, is as much a warning against any future attempt to introduce revolutionary propaganda in the United States as it is meant to be a punishment for Martens.

Our government officials deem themselves to be acting on the solid ground of international law and understanding in refusing to recognize a government of whose aims is the overthrow of the government of the United States. The department of state claims that revolutionary propaganda is inspired by the soviet and that the task of Martens was to spread soviet doctrine in the United States.

Of course, there is no denying the plausibility that trade relations with Russia will tend to emphasize sooner or later the political aspects of the soviet and that a decision of some kind will become necessary. On the other hand, it is thought possible that the return of trade, the Russian people themselves will be better able to understand the viewpoint of the United States toward political recognition.

It will eventually compel those who would govern Russia to change their attitude toward other nations. Incidentally, an interesting question is just being raised concerning the occupancy of the Russian embassy building in Washington.

Embassy Building Question.
A rumor has been current for several days that the department of state had ordered out the present occupants of the building—namely, Mr. Bakhmeteff and others who came here as the representatives of the Kerensky government. But there is no truth in the rumor. Officials of the department say that the United States government has jurisdiction over the embassy building.

Our government does not recognize the Kerensky men any more than does the Martens group.

As for the building, possession of the points of the law, and until the government of the United States turns into diplomatic relations with the government in Russia, from whom instructions can be received concerning the occupancy of the building, no action will be taken against present tenants.

Again and again the department of state has been confronted with this problem, particularly with respect to Mexico. The Carranza action occupied policy for many months in relation to formal recognition of the Carranza government.

Embassy buildings of the property of foreign governments of the rule which has been followed by the United States is to refrain from interference with the occupancy of a building or embassy until a new government is formally recognized and arrangements for diplomatic representation are made.

Commenting April 12, 1920, the Cotton Belt Route will inaugurate through sleeping car service between Memphis and Shreveport on trains Nos. 2 and 3, leaving Memphis 8:30 p. m., arriving Shreveport next morning 11:15 o'clock, returning leaving Shreveport 5:30 p. m., arriving Memphis 7:30 a. m. Tickets and sleeping car accommodations at joint ticket office, 60 North Main street, and Union Station, Memphis, Tenn.

SPECIAL ELECTION IN ALABAMA, MAY 11

MONTGOMERY, Ala., April 6.—An official proclamation was issued late Monday by Gov. Thomas E. Kilby, calling a special election on May 11, the date of the general state primary, for the purpose of selecting three senators and seven members of the house of representatives of the state legislature, for vacancies existing by reason of resignation, removal from Alabama and death of former members.

With the proclamation the governor caused special writs of election to be forwarded to the sheriffs of the counties affected. This action by the governor has renewed speculation as to an extra session of the legislature but it is semi-officially stated that such a course will be taken only in the event certain revenue laws are declared unconstitutional or for the purpose of passing legislation that would qualify females to vote in Alabama in the event the suffrage amendment is ratified.

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE FOR COPIAH COUNTY

CRYSTAL SPRINGS, Miss., April 6. (SPL.)—A number of Crystal Springs business men went to Hazlehurst Monday morning where they joined Hazlehurst and Wesson business men for the purpose of going before the Copiah county board of supervisors and petitioning that be to subscribe to a large number of the booklets recently published by H. W. Mason under the title, "The Quarterly Review of Copiah County," which publication sets out in an attractive and interesting manner the various resources of Copiah county. It was the purpose of the business men to get the board of supervisors to use this book in advertising the county. This movement will be the nucleus for the organization of the proposed chamber of commerce for the county which will assume definite shape as soon as the men behind the movement have gotten the better of the different interests throughout the county.

BELIEVE WIND SAVED FRUIT IN TENNESSEE

KNOXVILLE, Tenn., April 6.—Orchardists were last night hopeful that, despite a temperature of 32 degrees at 7 p. m. and a near frost line temperature prevailing all day, they would be able to save most of the peach crop in this section. Their belief was based on the prevalence of a high wind. A light snow fell here yesterday.

The officers of the company are John

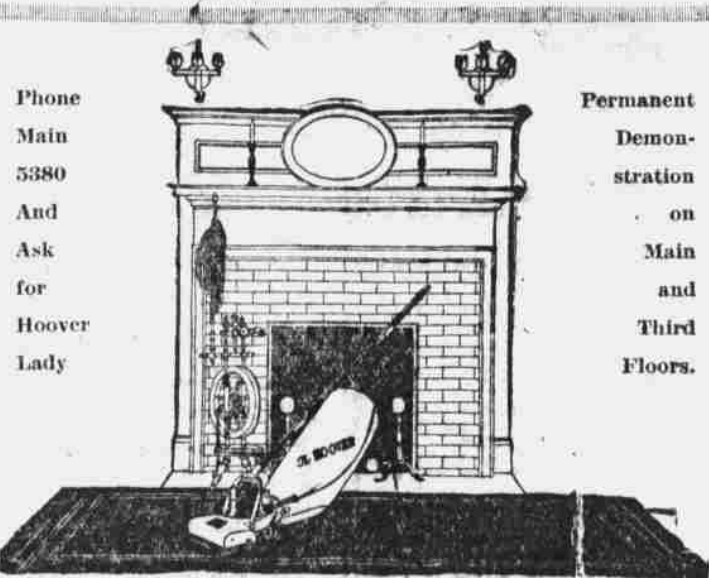
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MEMPHIANS FORM BIG ROCK CONCERN AT BLACK ROCK

BLACK ROCK, Ark., April 6. (SPL.)—The Limestone Products company is a new company, organized on April 3, by Mr. J. E. Hollingsworth, of J. E. Hollingsworth & Co.; J. E. Halloran, of Halloran-Murphy & McLean, L. J. Moss, president of John A. Dele's Sons Co., S. W. Portlock, president Peoples Bank and Trust company, all of Memphis; and John T. Woodruff, attorney and financier, of Springfield, Mo.

The company has acquired a large deposit of limestone over a mile in length and ranging from 15 to 80 feet in height, on the west bank of Black river, at Black Rock, Ark., where the new company is installing a large crushing plant and lime kilns. The primary object of the company is to supply crushed stone for the many highway enterprises now under way in Eastern Arkansas, Western Tennessee and Northern Mississippi. These highways have already contracted for work exceeding \$16,000,000. The new company is installing the most modern and up-to-date crushing plant in the South.

The daily output is 1,500 tons. The crusher is of the Williams patent Hammer-mill make. Power will be supplied by a Primus engine of 250 horsepower. The company is constructing its own tracks, connecting with the Frisco railroad, and also a track connecting with the Black river, where material will be shipped by barge to Mississippi river points.

The capital of the company is \$100,000, fully paid in. Memphis is a large consumer of crushed stone, and will doubtless receive much of its material from the new plant.

In speaking of the new enterprise, Mr. Hollingsworth, who is vice-president and general manager, said: "Our limestone deposit is something very unusual. It runs high in percentage of carbonate of lime and magnesia, and while our early operations will be confined to crushing and marketing stone for construction work and road building, our ultimate field of operations will be directed to pulverizing this high-grade limestone for fertilizer. An analysis of the stone shows it to be equal to any in the country, and our close proximity to the soils where it is so much needed, will enable us to sell at very small cost."

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FEAR ARKANSAS FRUIT AND VEGETABLES HURT

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., April 6. (SPL.)—Uncertainty as to the damage to Arkansas orchards by Sunday night's freeze was expressed by local fruit men and horticulturists. Reports from the northwest part of the state said the loss was at least 25 per cent, and Texas, Kansas and Missouri reported heavy damage to potatoes, peas and tomatoes. It will require several days, however, to determine the loss.

Do You Hear Him Knocking?

He knocks for the LAST TIME some day. Will this be YOUR last opportunity? Come to the revival tonight at Union Avenue Methodist church and be saved. This great meeting is still on—FOR YOU.

\$1,116,345 FOR MISSIONS.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., April 6.—Receipts by the foreign missions committee of the Southern Presbyterian church reached the total of \$1,116,345.50 during the past year, according to an announcement from Dr. James I. Vance, Nashville, chairman of the committee. This amount, which is a record, according to Dr. Vance, will reduce the debt of the committee from the previous year by \$52,000 after paying all expenses of the year, he stated.

RISE ENDS AT HICKMAN.

HICKMAN, Ky., April 6. (SPL.)—The river is falling now at the rate of about one inch a day, the total fall now being about 15 inches and will continue to go down. The Tennessee river, which caused some alarm a day or so ago, will pass without causing further rise. Work on levees will cease today.

SAVE TOMATO CROP AT CRYSTAL SPRINGS, MISS.

CRYSTAL SPRINGS, Miss., April 6. (SPL.)—The severity of the truck farmers was very rudely disturbed Sunday afternoon, when after a week of ideal farming weather, the "sneak" sounded long and loud three times, indicating that a freeze was on its way. For the past week farmers have had the best weather of the year, and have taken advantage of it by transferring from the cold frames to the fields most of the tomatoes that will be planted here this season. Other plants have also been planted in the fields and the entire crop is now exposed to the weather.

LONGSHOREMEN MAY JOIN N. Y. STRIKERS

NEW YORK, April 6.—The harbor strike in New York entered its sixth day today with both sides firm and confident of winning. Union officials claimed conditions were worse than general known, transportation officials insisted that the situation was rapidly returning to normal.

BAD BEAR BITES THIS BRAVE SNAKE CHARMER

HICKMAN, Ky., April 6. (SPL.)—The bear in the animal tent of the Wolf Super show, which was shown here, grabbed the right hand of the snake charmer of that tent when she stuck her hand through the bars of its cage, shutting down on her hand with his teeth and biting her hand pretty badly, leaving the flesh on the fingers. The tent had many people in it at the time, many of whom saw the bear bite her.

An Unusual Showing of Blouses

—They are of fine quality georgette, made with long or the new short sleeves. One of the short-sleeved models is prettily braided and trimmed with lace. Others are trimmed with embroidery, and there are some new beaded models. The colors are flesh, white, bisque and the suit shades. At..... **\$7.95**

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